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MEMORANDUM

TO: Prospective contributors to ASCB Summer Research Conferences

FROM: Richard D. Rodewald
Chair, ASCB Summer Research Committee

SUBJECT: 1989 Summer Research Conference

DATE: January 15, 1989

This memorandum is to request financial support for the American Society for Cell Biology's Fifth Annual Summer Research Conference entitled "Chromosome Structure and Segregation," organized by R.E. Esposito, University of Chicago, J.R. McIntosh, University of Colorado and V.A. Zakian, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center. This important Conference should be of interest to a wide audience of molecular and cell biologists. A copy of the information about the conference topics and speakers is enclosed.

We are grateful to those companies that have supported past Summer Research Conferences. Each conference costs well beyond the income generated from the participant registration fees. The severe cut-back in the Federal budget allows for only token support from the NIH and the NSF. Each year, the organizers submit grant proposals to several granting agencies and although these proposals receive excellent scores, the agencies can only provide minimal funding. For each conference, we must raise approximately $20,000. from other outside sources. Thus, your support of this Conference would represent an important and worthwhile service to the research community. Contributions are acknowledged on all conference application forms, advertisements and announcements in the ASCB Newsletters and other society publications and in the Conference Program.

We appreciate past support that made possible the first four Conferences, and we are particularly grateful to those companies that have pledged annual support. We hope your company will be able to contribute to this important Conference and ask that you consider supporting these Conferences on an annual basis.

We look forward to hearing from you.

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